

TRUCK MEN CITE HEAVY ROAD NEED

Plans for New State Highways Await Action on Legislation Proposed

ENGINEERS ARE PUZZLED Laws to Check Increasing Stolen Car Menace Are Also Submitted

By a Staff Correspondent. Harrisburg, March 10.—Not until some agreement is reached on what legislation is to be passed regulating the size and weight of motor trucks in Pennsylvania can any steps be taken by the state highway department toward the building of the highways.

The present law carries a maximum weight regulation of 24,000 pounds, but the truck associations of the state are endeavoring to have this weight regulation increased to 28,000 or 30,000 pounds.

During past administrations of the highway department the roads have been built with foundations of five inches on the sides and seven inches in the center, but under the plan to carry 24,000 pound traffic the new specifications call for six inches on the sides and eight inches of foundation in the center.

The truck people also desire legislation permitting trucks of ninety-six inches in width instead of ninety inches and truck lengths of twenty-eight feet instead of twenty feet.

There has been some talk among members of the legislature to increase the speed limit in open country to thirty-five miles an hour and to thirty miles in cities.

The stolen car evil has caused the introduction of a number of bills in both branches of the legislature regulating sales of motor vehicles and placing upon all public garage owners certain requirements in the way of records that will enable police to readily locate stolen automobiles.

When there are any signs that these mutilated numbers immediately notice must be furnished to police departments.

There are two bills regulating truck weights and widths, fixing license fees and carrying general motor vehicle regulations before the legislature.

Police Urged to Buy Bonds. Superintendent of Police Robinson has sent out a bulletin to all police districts asking patrolmen to subscribe to the fifth Liberty Loan through the "one player" committee.

RECALLS FATHER'S EULOGY WHEN LINCOLN WAS KILLED

The Rev. Benjamin Neill Tells How His Parent, First Pastor of Spring Garden Methodist Church, Lauded Martyred President Shortly After He Took Pulpit

A eulogy of Lincoln, preached in the Spring Garden Street Methodist Church the Sunday after the President was assassinated is one of the earliest recollections of the Rev. Benjamin Neill, son of the church's first pastor.

Mr. Neill's father, the Rev. James Neill, now dead, was appointed pastor of the church in 1844. The church was dedicated in February of that year by Bishop Simpson.

Mr. Neill today let his memory run back to the days when as a boy he was shipped in the basement of the church, before the edifice was built.

One of his most distinct recollections, he said, is the sermon preached by his father the Sunday after Lincoln was shot. The Rev. Charles J. Little was associated in the Spring Garden pastorate with the elder Mr. Neill, according to the son, who is now corresponding secretary of the Pennsylvania Seaman's Friend Society.

The Rev. Albert Cookman succeeded Mr. Neill as pastor. Since the Spring Garden Church was organized its pulpit has been filled by able and eloquent

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Table with columns for Product, Grade, Price per unit, and Remarks. Includes items like Potatoes, Carrots, Apples, etc.

HOUSE TO GET BILLS TO CARE FOR INSANE

Appropriation Measures Carrying Thousands on Assembly Calendar This Week

Appropriation bills carrying increases of many thousand dollars to take care of the indigent insane and conduct the state hospitals will be passed upon by the legislature this week.

Additional bills will be reported out by the House Appropriations Committee and work started on the reduction of the general appropriation bill.

A bill to reorganize the Department of Agriculture and several more defining the powers of the governor relative to contracts and supplies await the approval of Governor Sproul.

A number of hearings are scheduled for this week, among them one before a joint session of the Park and Game Committees of both Houses tomorrow.

COUNTESS MAY CLAIM SEAT

Georgina Markievicz Among Recently Freed Sinn Feiners

London, March 10.—(By A. P.)—Sinn Feiners who have been interned in England have been released in batches during the last few days.

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FAMED NAVAL GUNS BACK HERE TODAY

Returning Transport Brings Two of 14-Inch Type From Western Front

Sailors and sailors played havoc with the Germans during the closing days of the war, but they were aided in this work by monster naval guns that made up an efficient "short battery" on the western front.

Two of these long-range guns that did such effective work will arrive in this city today and, like the stowaway bluejackets, will be assigned to the Philadelphia Navy Yard until Uncle Sam finds other work for them to do.

The guns are aboard the transport West Housick, which is due at the navy yard this afternoon. Besides the guns, the ship is bringing new soldiers.

Despite records of the returning soldiers, they will share first honors with the big navy guns for these ordnance pieces were imperishable fame in the war. They are sixty feet long and have a range of thirty-five miles.

MEMORIAL FOR McNICHOI Prominent Republicans to Attend Meeting in Harrisburg Tomorrow

Prominent Republicans from all parts of Pennsylvania, including more than three hundred Philadelphians, will attend a memorial meeting in the Senate chamber at Harrisburg tomorrow for Senator James P. McNichol.

Gloucester Tax Rate is \$2.92 Gloucester City's tax rate for 1919 will be \$2.92 on each \$100 of assessed property value.

PORK-LADEN SHIP ASHORE

Atlantic, En Route From Here to Havre, Blows Ground

The bark Atlantic, bound for Havre, France, with a cargo of 10,000,000 pounds of lard and pork, was blown ashore last night while anchored below Reedy Island, according to a report received at the Maritime Exchange.

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PHYSICIAN DEMANDS POLICE BE PUNISHED

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